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Not Worried Over Senator Culberson's Surprise.

THE CABINET MEETING

WAS OCCUPIED BY OTHER MAT-TERS TODAY.

Speaker Cannon Brings Good Reports From His Campaign in West Virginia and the West.

"If that is the largest projectile they have to fire at us it will not be necessary to increase the thickness of our armor." said a cabinet officer at the conclusion of the cabinet meeting today, when he was asked if there would be anything to say by the administration in reply to the "surprise" sprung on the republicans by Senator Culberson of Texas, in his speech in New York last night. "Why, there is nothing new in all that." he said.

The cabinet meeting was so short that there was little time to discuss the Cuiberson "bomb shell," and little inclination to do so. Nobody seemed to think the shell would do any damage, and other matters, political and executive, occupied the hour that the cabinet was in session. Seven of the nine cabinet officers were present, the absentees being Secretaries Shaw and Wilson, who have been on the stump for practically two months, and who will continue

Postmaster General Wynne said there was no truth in the story of an investigation to be made of the New York post office. "I think I would know something about it," said Mr. Wynne. The four-year term of Postmaster Van Cott will expire early in January of next year, and he will probably not be reappointed. At the time of the post office investigations the business of the New York office was looked into, but noth-ing was found to indicate that the conduct of the office needed a more thorough inves-

Cannon Optimistic and Breezy. Speaker Cannon, carrying with him optimism and breeziness galore and the aroma of a mighty good cigar, bounced in the front door of the White House today with elastic tread and smiling face. He broke right into the President's room as the President and cabinet were preparing to sit down in the cabinet meeting.

"Hello! There he is. What a pleasure,"

and similar expressions greeted the veteran Illinoisan, fresh from his campaign in West Virginia and the west. The Speaker briefly told everybody present that the thing was "dead easy," so far as the republicans were concerned, and that "it was a shame to take the money." Then he started out and encountered his newspaper friends.
"Oh, I've had a half dozen of the boys

with me on my trip," he said, "and they have kept the papers full of what I have been doing and saying. So there is nothing new to tell you." "But," persisted one of the crew, "tell us something about Illinois. Carter Harrison, you know, says the state is doubtful and that the democrats stand a chance to carry

"Well, Carter is a powerful knowing man," was the humorous response, "but somehow I guess we will just struggle through with enough to elect our ticket."

"As to West Virginia, now?"
"That state is republican by a

"By how big a majority?" "Oh, I never give majorities."
"But we want to know, as several of us

have a bet on West Virginia."
"What is the bet?"
It was explained that A had bet B that West Virginia's republican majority would not be as much as 10,000.

"Well, A is a d—n fool and he had better hedge at once," was the brief rejoinder. Enlargement of New York's Canal. Col. Thomas W. Symons, former superintendent of public buildings and grounds, made a call at the White House today. Col. Symons, by permission of Congress and the Secretary of War, became a member of the commission in New York that is to widen and improve the canal between Lake

Erie and the Hudson.
"In a short time," said Col. Symons, speaking of the work of the commission, contracts will be awarded for work on the canal, involving the expenditure of something like \$8,000,000 or \$9,000,000. The plans and specifications are being prepared now, in fact they should have been completed before now, and, so far as I know, may have been completed. At any rate advertise-ments will be placed in newspapers of the country calling for bids. The intention of the commission is to have something like places, this being test work to a large degree. The estimate made as to the total cost of the work was \$101,000,000, and this amount was voted by the people of New York. The object in letting a number of contracts at this time is to ascertain whether the bids will come within the estimates already prepared, so we will know whether our estimates have been correct and whither we can go ahead with the work on the canal, satisfied that it can be completed within the amount allotted."

Col. Symons thought that the contractors for the work would be able to commence excavations next spring, as they would have the winter in which to prepare for

### J. O. U. A. M. SUIT.

Arguments Concluded in Case Involv-

ing Fraternities. Argument has just been concluded in an equity case of unusual interest to fraternal and beneficial societies, which had been on hearing for several days before Justice Wright of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia. The National Council of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics, as complainant, sued the State Council of the District of Columbia of the same order to enjoin it from continuing to conduct business as a State Council of the order and from using the name "Junior Order of United American Mechanics," on the ground that, as alleged, the State Council had forfeited its right to be a member of the order by refusing to pay its per cap-ita taxes to the National Council, in conse-quence of which the National Council had declared its charter revoked. The trouble in the order, it is said, dates back to the annual convention of the National Council, held at Minneapolis in the year 1899. At that convention, it is explained, a new con-stitution and code of laws was declared adopted by the National Council, including among its features provision for an insurance branch or endowment rank for the en-tire order, and certain money was appropriated at the same convention to provide means to carry out these insurance provisions. It is pointed out that although membership in the insurance branch was intended to be optional with individual members yet the scheme as a whole was uter. tended to be optional with individual members, yet the scheme as a whole was vigorously opposed by a large number of the memberships, including a majority of the members residing here, and the opposition grew until it culminated in a rupture in the order. One of the results of this was that the State Council of the District of Columthe State Council of the District of Columbia refused to pay any per capita tax to the National Council, except on condition that the latter should call a special session and right certain alleged grievances. This action the National Council regarded as insubordination and ordered that the State Council pay its per capita tax within a specified time on penalty of forfeiture of its charter. The State Council failed to pay the tax, it is added, and finally the National Council declared the charter revoked and instituted suit in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, one of the objects of which is to obtain a decree requiring the State Council to surrender its charter and ritual, in obedience to the order of the National Council, which the State Council has refused to do.

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# <del></del> Family Shoe Store's Weekly

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#### NEW YORK POST OFFICE.

No Investigation Contemplated at This Time.

of his office were not fair.

That any investigation of the New York office is contemplated at this time or in the immediate future is a matter unrecognized at the Post Office Department, but the fact is not denied there that such investigation may be called for in due course of time by ordinary caution and a desire on the part of Postmaster General Wynne to improve the general service all along the line.

postal service, though this was, in no small measure, due to the congested condition of he work and the lack of space for the proper handling of the enormous and con-stantly growing mails of the metropolis. nspection of post offices is carried on regularly and reports made to the department on the results. If there is to be any extraoffice the plans for its prosecution have not been yet outlined and assurance at the department is that there will be none until the annual reports are finished and other mportant routine work of the general serv-

# THE WEST POINT ACADEMY.

In his annual report Brigadier General Mills, superintendent of the Military Acadcmy, dwells on the need for an infectious d.sease building upon the grounds of the academy, as there had been a number of cases of such disease during the past year. The discipline of the cadets is said to be satisfactory and they are showing an increasing disposition to comply willingly with authority, adhere to regulations and

The academic instructions have been maintained at a high degree of efficiency, which General Mills attributes in large part to the fact that the instructors, grad uates of the academy, are of great ability. He urges that only the best men be detailed to the academy for that purpose. The assignment of many officers to the general staff, he says, has greatly reduced the num-ber of availables for duty as instructors at the academy and certain changes in the detail laws are suggested to remedy that

tween the athletic association of the naval and military academies have been adjusted so that the annual games of foot ball and base ball can be continued, which, he clares is most desirable. It is stated most positively that participation in these sports has not lowered the class standing of the cadets engaged.

#### Changes Made by Direction of the President

Capt. Henry M. Seeley of Boston has been boilers, whose removal from the service for laxity and neglect in performing their du-ties was directed by President Roosevelt. cles was directed by President Roosevelt.

Capt. Seeley at present is an inspector of hulls at Boston and was one of the officers who made the examination of the conditions of the vessels at New York following the Slocum disaster. Mr. Merserean now fills the position of assistant inspector of boilers at the port of New York, his new office being given him as a promotion for creditatle work in the past.

Robert W. Griffin, the young man who was arrested at Albuquerque, N. M., about a month ago on complaint of J. Warren Johnson, a local dealer in jewelry.

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bringing Griffin here was due to the high water in his section. Griffin says the trip here was an enjoyable one, with the exception of the time the train was in Colorado, where a snowstorm was encountered. The weather there was very cold, he said, and he did not have the proper wearing apparel to keep warm. During his absence from the city he was indicted by the grand jury and his case will be heard in the Criminal

NEW ENGINE HOUSE.

Plans Received for Building for South-

Building Inspector Ashford today received from Architect Dessez the plans for the construction of the new engine house to be erected in the square bounded by Virginia avenue, K and 9th streets southeast for the protection of the navy yard.

The drawings for this house show deviations in some features from the style of previously built in the District. In the navy yard engine house the reading room will be located in the front of the structure instead of in the rear, as is the case in other engine houses. The fire alarm apparatus will be placed next to the reading ratus will be placed in the common and the operator will be enabled to see all the stalls and doors of the house from his stand. The structure will be finshed on all four sides, owing to its being solated from other buildings. The house will be heated by steam, and arrangements have been made so that the steam-heating plant will also be utilized to keep up steam in the fire engine. In other engine houses it has been necessary to keep two fires burning, one for heating the

steam in the fire engine. GOOD TEMPLARS MEET. Friendship Lodge and Faith Lodge

Transact Routine Work. Friendship Lodge, No. 11, I. O. G. T., met n Melford Hall, 8th and I streets northeast, Monday evening, with a large membership present. Mr. Hoyt Holton, chief templar, presided, and Miss Nettie E. Cole, planist, led the service of song. Among the visitors were Mrs. C. M. Smith, superintendent of Silver Star Juvenile Temple; Mrs. A. J. Yowell, Mrs. B. M. Thompson, Miss E. Allen, and Messrs. J. T. Finney and William Payne, past chief templars of Silver Star Lodge; Messrs. Westdall and Russell, past chief templars of Minnehaha Lodge, and Mrs. R. H. Wood, vice templar of Per everance Lodge. Routine business was followed by initia-

tory ceremonies, after which a social seswas held. The good of the order, conducted by the chair, included piano solos by Mrs. Wood and Miss Cole, recitations by Mr. Helton and Miss Allen, and brief addresses by Mrs.

and Miss Allen, and brief addresses by Mrs. Smith, Messrs. Finney, Payne and Russell and Mrs. Nettie A. Cole.
Faith Lodge, No. 14, I. O. G. T., met in Odd Fellows' Hall, 31st street, Tuesday evening. Chief Templar William C. Lenz presided, and J. W. Garland, organist, led the song service. At the close of routine business the chair announced a coffee social as the special order of the evening, and extended a cordial welcome to the visitors, tended a cordial welcome to the visitors, members of Georgetown Council, No. 3, members of Georgetown Country, No. 5, being present as special guests, as follows; being present as special guests, as follows; being present as special guests, as follows; being present as follows; L. Golding, R. A. Payne, Howard Fearson L. Golding, R. A. Payne, Howard Fearson and J. H. Bangs. Among others present as visitors were Miss May Smith and J. S. Blackford of Silver Star Lodge, Mr. and Mrs. Prince, Mrs. Emma Corbey and Mr. J. C. Foster of Perseverance Lodge, and Miss Faith Lodge. The program arranged by Mr. R. E

Smith, chairman of the committee on good of the order, included organ selections by Prof. Garland, vocal solos by R. E. Smith, plano-solos by Mrs. Corbey and addresses by Mr. Gates and Miss Richardson, and a cake walk by Mr. Latimer and Mrs. Belt.

Anacostia and Vicinity. Mr. J. H. Lloyd and Mr. H. R. Knott both of Anacostia, are at the Hot Springs,

Mr. Benjamin Page of Boston, Mass., who has been visiting his brother, Mr. Charles Page, No. 539 Jefferson street, Anacostia has returned home.

Mr. Charles W. Tolson of Anacostia has eturned after a trip to the Frederick Mr. Alvah Godding of the government hospital has returned home after spending his annual leave in and near Winchen-

Mrs. C. F. Walson has reached her home in Anacostia after a visit to the St. Louis fair.

Mrs. L. J. Smith of Maple avenue, Anacostia, has gone to Washington, Ohio, where her son Golden is visiting. She will remain about a month.

Reopening of Reading Circle.

gram was an address delivered by the superintendent, Mrs. M. W. Clair. Development and adjourned until tomorrow to give ment was the keynote of her discourse. She was much pleased, she said, with the work accomplished by the club. Several musical selections were rendered, with Miss Lettle Alexander as accompanist. The exercises were followed by a collation.

Among those present were:

Rev. W. T. Harris, Mrs. M. W. Clair,
Miss Lettle Alexander, Miss Irie, Mr. Frank
Jones, Mr. Samuel Jackson, Miss Abbie
Davis, Miss Eva Ross, Miss Lottle Watts,
Miss Mabel Butler, Miss Georgie Liverpool,
Mrs. Josephine Lackson, Mrs. Publ. Cole. Mrs. Josephine Jackson, Mrs. Ruth Cole, Miss Cora Hawkins, Mrs. Cecella McKall, Mrs. Della Ashton, Mrs. Cecella McKall, Mrs. Della Ashton, Miss Hattle Mitchell, Miss Daisy Ross, Miss Mary Scott, Miss Mattle Thompson, Miss Cora Dent and Miss Elizabeth Thomas.

Stranded Vessel Floated and Sold.

The schooner Charles A. Pryor, which came into port here a day or two ago with a cargo of oysters, was one of the unfortunate vessels blown ashore in lower Ma chidoc creek in a gale about five weeks ago, She had aboard at the time a cargo of about 200 busheds of ovsters and as the chances sold by her owners, as she lay on the beach, to Capt. Charles Bailey of Lower Machodo for a small sum. Captain Bailey succeeded in floating the vessel, repaired her and now has her in service. The Pryor is a handy little vessel 39 feet long. Her new owner will keep her in the Potomac trade.

Vessels Lost or Injured.

Several vessels which have frequently visited this port, were among those lost or injured in recent gales that swept over the Atlantic. The British schooner Syanara, which, as mentioned in the Star yesterday, was seen by a passing steamer floating very low in the water and on fire off the coast of South Carolina, came to this city several times with cargoes of laths from New Brunswick. Her last trip was made here about a year ago. The schooner Edward G. Hight and Star of the Sea, which came here with lumber and ice, are both lying in the harbor at Fernandina, Fla., in a leak-ing condition, the result of a storm.

The Lighthouse Service.

The following changes in the lighthouse service are reported by the lighthouse

Mr. Peter S. Earle, who was assistant keeper of the Craighill channel front lights in Chesapeake bay, has been transferred to Thomas Point shoal light in place of Mr. Edward Jansen, and Mr. Jansen has

The buoy tenders are engaged in supplying the light stations on the bay and its tributaries with fuel for the coming cold

Revenue Cutter Service Orders. The following revenue cutter service orders were recently issued from the bureau

Second Assistant Engineer G. M. Kohler is ordered to South Bethlehem, Pa., on inspection duty on material being made for new vessels for the cutter service.

Leaves of absence as Ionows have granted: Third Lieut. W. A. Whittier, 30 days; Third Lieut. E. S. Addison, 10 days' days; Third Lieut. E. S. Addison, 10 days' Assistant Engineer J. W. leave; Second Assistant Engineer J. W. Glover, 30 days, and Surgeon H. W. Stuch,

Col. B. K. Roberts, commanding the army posts on the Potomac, is again in service after being out of commission for several days. The Cygnus came to this city about ten days ago to have her boiler overhauled and when this work was completed returned to the fort. She had been there but a few hours when it was found that her wheel had worked loose and she had to be brought back here to have that repaired. This was completed yesterday and the Cygnus re-turned to her station and resumed her trips between Fort Washington and Fort Hunt

Uncle Sam Halts Burbank's Suit. A dispatch from Leavenworth, Kan., says:

The trial of the marriage annulment suit of Lieut, Sidney S. Burbank against Mrs. Conpostponed twenty-four hours yesterday afthrough the War Department. Brig. Gen. J. Franklin Bell held a conference with the two attorneys for Lieut: Burbank and the two attorneys for Mrs. Vasquez. He placed a cablegram before them from Gen. Wade, which had passed through the War Department, requesting that the Leavenworth court appoint a commission to take testimony and make an investigation into the

Colombians Planning an Attack.

A cablegram from Colon last night says: There is a rumor here that a large body of armed Colombians has been concentrated near Culebra with the intention of making an attack there on November 3, the first anniversary of the secession of Panama from Colombia. The canal zone authorities are investigating the report, though not much importance is attached to the rumor, the origin of which is attributed to malcontents.

To Observe Halloween.

A dispatch from Albany, N. Y., says: Business men and newspapers here have united in planning an unique public celeoration of Halloween, October 31. Funds have been raised by popular subscription, which will be expended in a carnival last-

In the morning one of the prettiest girls the committee can find will be crowned Queen Titania, and over 500 persons in costume will take part in the ceremony on the broad stairway approach to the capitol. The queen and her retinue will then proceed to the city hall, where the keys of the city will be received from the mayor, to be used in a symbolical unlocking of the four gates of the city. The evening will be devoted to a parade of floats and maskers, and an attempt will be made to reproduce the carnival scenes of New Or-

'Frisco Water Front Scales. A dispatch from San Francisco says: The

pacity of fifty tons per load. The government will operate the scales

A great advantage to the local importers will lie in the fact that the government will make no charge whatever for weighing the

Noted Hospital Surgeon Dead.

says: Dr. Auguste Frederick Muller, chief of the staff of the Germantown Hospital. died at his home today of cancer. He was sixty-four years old. Dr. Muller was born in Alsace-Loraine and came to this country twelve years later with his parents, who resided in Wisconsin. At the outbreak of the civil war he enlisted as a volunteer and fought in many battles until he was wounded at Gettysburg. Upon his recovery from this wound he began the study of medicine and was graduated from the University of Pennsylvania medical department.

Fire in the business section of Old Pem-

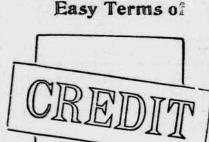
PLEASANT. SIMPLE, BUT SAFE AND EFFECTUAL CURE FOR IT.

Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered

There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated torgue and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition. The cure for this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach. To secure a prompt and healthy digestion is the one necessary thing to do

condition will have disappeared. treatment is to use after each meal a tablet, composed of Dinstase, Aseptic Pepsin, a little Nux, Golden Seal and fruit acids. These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and not being a patent medicine, can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite and thorough diges-

temple, on "Gems of the Hebrew Frayer Book." There will be seven lectures, be-ginning this evening. Others will be given on alternate Bridays.



When you are ready for the

themselves on that account disqualified to hear the case. Finally Justice Gould referred the case to Justice Wright by special order, and the latter heard the case, Justice Gould taking Justice Wright's place temporarily in Criminal Court No. 1.

The complainant National Council, which is a Pennsylvania corporation, is represented by Attorneys A. A. Birney, George Francis Williams and A. W. Shunk, while the defendant State Council, a local corporation, is represented by Attorney J. J. Darlington.

Justice Wright took the case under advisement.

FIVE FRAUD ORDERS ISSUED. Concerns Which Are Barred From Using the Mails.

Five fraud orders were today issued by the Post Office Department through the office of the assistant attorney general. Charles M. Jackson, having desk room at 412 West Broadway, N. Y., advertised that stenographers could get good positions in the government service in Manila without the expenditure of a dollar. He did not tell them that they would have to expend 75 cents for a book he claimed to be issuing. but which he has not yet issued, neither did he tell the truth when he said they could get these positions without applying through the civil service. When he found his mail withheld at the instance of the Post Office Department, he telegraphed the Postmaster General that if it was not delivered to him immediately he would ac-cept an offer from the democratic campaign managers to distribute the work for use in the presidential campaign. The book he called "How We Run the Civil Service in Our Colonial Possessions." Neither Jackson nor the book could be located by the inspectors and the fraud order was issued

The Milwaukee Co-operative detective Service of Milwaukee, Wis., has been de-nied the use of the mails for the practice of its scheme, which the department holds to be illegal.

Goodman & Co., of Cincinnati, Ohio, are charged with conducting a lottery in the shape of a scheme to invest money for persons who like to wager varying sums on the merits of race horses. They will not hereafter use the mails for the conduct of this business. business. The Howard Manufacturing Company and Daniel Webber of New York advertised for letter writers, saying among other inducements, that they had recently received a contract from the "Greater New York Little Liver Pill Company," to write them 2,000,000 more letters? This caused a boom in the manufacture of the company. in the market of letter writers, but when Webber was faced by inspectors he admit-

such pills in existence. He asked his "employes" to send on \$1 as an evidence of good faith that they wished employment and were not trifling with him. He will get no more of these easy dollars.

The Pennsylvania Mutual Aid Society has been adjudged a fraud and "a fake life in-surance concern" by the post office au-thorities and Clifford W. Holmes, its agent, was recently arrested in Scranton, Pa., and is now in jail to answer to criminal charges tomorrow. The company operated from Camden, N. J., Scranton, Pa., and Huntington, W. Va., and it is said did a large business among the miners and lumbermen of those districts. As far as the United States mails are concerned, their career is closed.

Rumors are again in circulation to the effect that the New York post office is to receive a thorough investigation at the hands of inspectors under direct orders from Fostmaster General Wynne. Responsibility for this is attached to the old complaint of Postmaster Van Cott of that office, that the regular annual and semi-annual inspections

New York has at no time in recent history had what might be termed an ideal

building and the other for keeping up

Annual Report of Gen. Mills, the Superintendent.

refrain from ill-treating the fourth-class

General Mills says the differences be

STEAMBOAT INSPECTORS.

appointed inspector of hulls and Theodore . Meresrean inspectors of boilers in the steamboat inspection service at New York. These appointments are one of the results of the conclusion of the Slocum disaster commission, the appointees taking the places of James, A. Dumont, inspector of hulls, and Thomas H. Barrett, inspector of

Robert W. Griffin Brought Here From

Recommendation Approved.

Acting Engineer Commissioner Morrow has approved the recommendation of Assistant Engineer Fernald that the dumping of street cleanings at 2d and Q streets southeast. The State Council falled to pay the tax, it is added, and finally the National Council declared the columbia, one of the objects of street cleanings at 2d and Q streets southers and the street cleanings and solid street cleanings and

succeeded Mr. Earle as assistant keeper at Craighill channel.

Second Lieutenant W. A. Willey is or-dered to the cutter Seminole for temporary

Troubles of an Army Launch. The little steam launch Cygnus, owned in this city but at present under charter to

ment and adjourned until tomorrow to give pare a motion in writing asking for delay

ing through the day and evening.

leans and Italy.

board of harbor commissioners has granted the request of the federal government for permission to erect three sets of standard scales along the city water front. The scales will be operated solely by government employes, and they will have a ca-

solely and exclusively for the benefit of importers of merchandise at this port and the handling of foreign goods will thus be greatly facilitated.

goods, and the 6% cents, which has hitherto been charged for weighing a ton of freight, will thus be saved.

A dispatch from Philadelphia last night

bina, N. D., has done damage estimated at \$100,000, with partial insurance. The Pembina Hotel was among the buildings burned.

Catarrh of the Stomach.

the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, aca formation of gases, causing pressure on the heart and lungs and difficult breathing, headaches, fickle appetite, nervousness and a general played-out,

and when normal digestion is secured the catarrhal According to Dr. Harlanson, the safest and hest

tion will follow their regular use after meals.

Mr. B. S. Workman, Chicago, Ill., writes:

"Catarrh is a local condition resulting from a
neglected cold in the head, whereby the lining membrane of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge therefrom passing backward